

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **SB 2733 - HB 2804**

February 12, 2000

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Prohibits private prison entities from expanding incarceration of out-of-state detainees or sentenced inmates in jail, prison or correctional facility in Tennessee by either constructing new facilities or increasing the number of beds in existing correctional facilities. Also requires the Office of the Comptroller, assisted by the commissioner of the Department of Correction, to develop a monitoring and reporting process on the operation of any existing prisons incarcerating out-of-state inmates in Tennessee.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant**

Estimate assumes that:

- prohibiting the expansion of private prison facilities in Tennessee for the purpose of housing out-of-state inmates will not affect the current state and local government tax revenues received from private facilities currently operating in Tennessee.
- monitoring done by the Office of the Comptroller and the Department of Correction can be accomplished with existing resources.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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